

criteria as the State shall adopt.

Beneficiary Eligibility: A State and its units of general local government, involved in juvenile delinquency prevention programs.

Credentials/Documentation: Cost will be determined in accordance with OMB Circular No. A-87 for State and local governments.

Formula and Matching Requirements: State or units of general local government must match Title V funds with a 50% cash contribution or the value equivalent of an in-kind contributions.

16.549 Part E State Challenge Activities (Challenge Grants)

AUTHORIZATION: Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974, Section 285, Public Law 93-415 as amended; Public Law 102-586, codified as amended at 42 U.S.C. 5667c.

OBJECTIVES: The purpose of the Challenge Grant Program is to provide incentives for States participating in the Formula Grants Program to develop, adopt, and approve policies and programs in one or more of ten specified challenge activities to improve the State's juvenile justice system.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: Funds must be used to support the ten challenge activities specified in Section 285(b)(2) of the JJDP Act, as amended.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Applicant Eligibility: The only eligible applicants for Part E Challenge Grants in a given fiscal year are the State agencies, designated by the Chief Executive of the State pursuant to Section 223(a)(1) of the JJDP Act, which receive OJJDP Formula Grant awards under Section 223 of the JJDP Act for the same fiscal year.

Beneficiary Eligibility: State governments participating in the OJJDP Formula Grant Program.

Credentials/Documentation: Costs will be determined in accordance with OMB Circular No. A-87 for State and local governments.

Formula and Matching Requirements: Each State may apply for a Part E grant in an amount equal to the sum of not more than 10 percent of such State's Formula Grant allocation received, for each Challenge activity in which the State chooses to participate, not to exceed the total amount of the State's Part E allocation. No matching funds are required.

16.726 Juvenile Mentoring Program (JUMP)

AUTHORIZATION: Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974, Section 288, Public Law 93-415, as amended; Public Laws 102-586 and 103-322; codified as amended at 42 U.S.C. 5667e.

OBJECTIVES: To reduce juvenile delinquency and gang participation, improve academic performance, and reduce the dropout rate; through the use of mentors for at-risk youth.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: JUMP provides support for one-to-one mentoring programs for at-risk youth. An "at-risk youth" is, for purposes of this program, a youth who is at risk of educational failure or dropping out of school. A "mentor" is defined as an adult, 21 years or older, who works with an at-risk youth on a one-to-one basis, establishes a supportive relationship with the youth, and provides the youth with academic assistance and exposure to new experiences which enhance the youth's ability to become a responsible citizen.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS: Eligible applicants are those that meet one or more of the following criteria:

- (1) serve at-risk youth in high crime areas;
- (2) have 60 percent or more of their youth eligible to receive funds of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U. S. C. 6301 et seq.);
- (3) have a considerable number of youth who drop out of school each year; and
- (4) that can demonstrate knowledge of and/or experience with mentoring programs, as well as working with volunteers and youth. Mentors must be adult, 21 years or older.

Applicant Eligibility: Local education agencies (LEA) or public/private nonprofit organizations. Both entities (LEA) or public/private nonprofit organizations must collaborate with the other to implement the program. Accordingly, each applicant has specified the nature of the relationship with either the school or school agency (if the applicant is a nonprofit) or with the nonprofit (if the applicant is a LEA).

Beneficiary Eligibility: Local education agencies (LEA) and public/private nonprofit organizations.

Credentials/Documentation: Costs will be determined in accordance with OMB Circular No. A-87 for State and local governments, and OMB Circular No. A-21 for Institutions of Higher Education, Hospitals and OMB Circular No. A-122 for Nonprofit Organizations.

Matching Requirements: Special Emphasis Grants awarded under The Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act do not require a cash match, except for construction projects, where the match is 50 percent on community-based facilities of 20 beds or less.

16.523 Juvenile Accountability Incentive Block Grant Program (JAIBG)

AUTHORIZATION: Fiscal Year 1999 Appropriations Act, Pub. L. 105-277 (1998), referencing H.R. 3 (May 3, 1997).

16.529 Drug Free Communities Program

AUTHORIZATION: Drug Free Communities Act of 1997, Pub. L. 105-20 (1997), codified at 21 U.S.C. § 1521 et seq.; Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act, 42 U.S.C. § 5651 et seq.

16.529 Drug Free Communities Program

AUTHORIZATION: Fiscal Year 1999 Appropriations Act (1998), Pub. L. 105-277.

BUREAU OF JUSTICE STATISTICS

16.550 State Justice Statistics Program for Statistical Analysis Centers (SACs)

AUTHORIZATION: Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, Section 301, Public Law 90-351 as amended, Public Laws 96-157, 98-473, 100-690, and 103-322; codified as amended at 42 U.S.C. 3731-3735.

OBJECTIVES: To provide financial and technical assistance to State governments for the establishment and operation of Statistical Analysis Centers (SACs) to collect, analyze, and disseminate justice statistics.

USES AND USE RESTRICTIONS: To improve the administration of justice by encouraging the development of State-level capabilities for collecting, analyzing, utilizing, and disseminating statistical information pertaining to crime and criminal justice, and for providing statistical information to the Federal Government for national compilations. To analyze particular criminal justice issues identified by BJS in conjunction with other Office of Justice Programs components which will be selected for national consistency and interest across the States and